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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Paul O. Sheppard, Stephen R Jaspers, Theresa A. Deisher, Paul D. Bishop
Serial No. : 09/718,803
Group Art Unit : 1648
Examiner : Park, Hankyel T.
Filed : November 22, 2000
For : METHOD OF FORMING A PEPTIDE-RECEPTOR COMPLEX WITH ZSIG33
Date Submitted : April 1, 2003

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2002 be extended for a period of three months from January 1, 2003 to April 1, 2003.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$465.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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